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### HONORS FOR G. U. H.

HAROLD VENSKE RANKS SECOND IN BIG JUNIOR CLASS AT STANFORD

Honors won by another Glendale boy which have shed luster upon Union High School have come to Harold Venske of 117 South Louise street, this city, who was a graduate in 1917. He entered Stanford University last year and a few days ago Principal Moyse received a letter from the University, congratulating him upon turning out such a pupil and stating that Venske had achieved second rank in his class with 261 points out of a possible 300. One other young man, a student from Crookston, Minn., was first in rank with 266 points. Pupils from 88 different schools competed against each other, but in this connection it should be stated that the ratings of all the pupils from any one school were averaged. The school sending but one pupil, as was the case with Glendale High, had an advantage if that pupil was a good student, in that there was no one to bring down his average. However, an examination of the list shows there were plenty of schools with one pupil to their credit whose averages did not come within hailing distance of Harold's.

An analysis of the list of ratings discloses other interesting facts. For instance, the third rank was won by a pupil of our neighboring city, San Fernando, and the tenth rank by Alameda High with two representatives. Thus three of the ten highest ratings went to California though nearly all the states in the Union were represented in the class.

Mr. Venske's record in Stanford seems not to have surprised his former teachers, who say he did fine work in Glendale. He has spent the summer here with his parents and will return to Stanford week after next, as the fall term begins there September 30th. He has been taking a course in economics and will take military training this year. He is twenty years of age and registered last Thursday.

### LIEUT. NICOLES PROMOTED

Lieutenant Dru Worth Nicoles of the Coast Artillery, stationed at Fort MacArthur, has recently received his commission as Captain, a promotion well deserved by this most efficient officer. Captain Nicoles had had some experience in military matters before coming to Glendale, having been a resident of Indianapolis, Ind., where he was a member of the National Guard for three years.

Captain Nicoles was for seven years wire chief in the telephone office and his family is still in Glendale. At present he is stationed at Ft. MacArthur as assistant artillery engineer in charge of the signal coast defense.

### DELIGHTED WITH ENGLAND

Mrs. Eva S. Gilson of 221 Belmont street received a letter last week from her son Cecil Gilson, who is with Co. G, 158 Infantry of the 40th Division, the famous Sunshine Division as it is often called.

They reached France about a month ago. Mrs. Gilson is a native of England and has often told her children of the beauty of England with its green lanes and quaint cottages and beautiful parks, and her son writes that his mother had not exaggerated, that England is even more beautiful than she described. He stopped over only a few days and of course was not permitted to say where he was, so Mrs. Gilson does not know whether he was near her old home or not.

Mr. Gilson also says that the English were so cordial and expressed their appreciation of what the Americans are doing in the warmest terms.

### BROADWAY P.-T. A.

The Broadway P.-T. A. will hold the first regular meeting of the year Thursday, the 19th, at the school, at 3:15 p. m.

Our Federation president, Mrs. Barton, has promised to be with us if possible, and our supervising principal, Mr. White, will speak for ten minutes on war work in the schools.

We are also promised as a solo the song, "Keep Your Eye on Uncle Sam," words, music and decoration by Miss M. Margaret Speik, the association secretary and our fourth grade teacher.

With our boys "over there" doing their bit so gloriously, the parents and teachers of the Broadway school expect to do their part in "Keeping the Home Fires Burning."

This first meeting is planned principally for all to become acquainted. A cheery greeting and a pleasant chat with the teachers of our boys and girls will help home and school to realize that unity of interest so necessary to our national success today.

### FEDERATION MEETING

P.-T. A. OFFICERS AND CHAIRMEN HOLD IMPORTANT CONFERENCE

The first regular meeting of the Glendale Federation Parent-Teachers' Associations was held Monday afternoon in library of the Intermediate school. Much enthusiasm and interest was aroused in discussion of the coming year's work as outlined by the president and heads of departments.

Mrs. Eustace B. Moore, Chairman of Patriotism, led in the salute to the flag, later giving plans for work in that department.

Mrs. R. M. Burr, Chairman of Education, presented as keynote of the year's work, Americanization, requesting each association to follow up this thought in their respective schools.

In the absence of Mr. White, who was detained by extra work in connection with the opening day of school, the president, Mrs. A. A. Barton, gave a brief outline of a change in the method of carrying on Junior Red Cross work in the schools and P.-T. A. The work will be handled through a Junior Red Cross chairman in each association, thus in a measure relieving our teachers who have served so faithfully during the previous year. This will also mean a closer connection between P.-T. A. and war work.

At the coming Liberty Fair to be held in Exposition Park October 12-26, arrangements have been made for a booth devoted to P.-T. A. work along Child Welfare lines. The president of each federation in the first district was asked to arrange an exhibit of some phase of Child Welfare work undertaken by its members and Glendale is to be represented by the Mutual Benefit Reading Circle and also a poster showing amount of war work done by the schools. This booth will adjoin the war exhibit, so will be seen by practically everyone attending the fair.

Mrs. McKee, Chairman of Philanthropy, reported need of supplies of all kinds—clothing, groceries and money. The demands are heavier than usual and the supplies fewer. In answer to requests for fruit during the season, quite a large quantity was donated which was canned and dried by members of this committee and is now on hand for use this winter when needed.

Extracts were read from a letter of P. P. Claxton, Commissioner of Education, urging all P.-T. As. to see that our schools are maintained at their full efficiency, both in work and attendance during the war and to do all they can to make such sentiment for the support of the schools and the help of needy children and their families as will make it sure that (quoting President Wilson) "No boy or girl shall have less opportunity for education because of the war and that the Nation may be strengthened as it can only be through the right education of all its people."

Plans were discussed for the annual reception to the teachers and all arrangements were referred to Mrs. C. W. Houston, chairman of courtesy, together with a committee, to be reported at the October meeting.

After adjournment, some time was spent in becoming acquainted with new members and discussing school work in general.

### ANOTHER GERMAN HELMET

William Balthis is the proud possessor of a German helmet, received from his brother, Douglas Balthis, who is with Company F, 117th Regiment of Engineers, Rainbow Division. William is now anxiously awaiting the expected letter which will give him full particulars in regard to the helmet. There is probably an interesting story connected with it or with his brother's experiences in finding it.

### LARGE PAID-IN-ADVANCE LIST

The Evening News already has a very large paid-in-advance list of subscribers which will be on the honor list October 1, 1918. The new ruling by the government forbids the distributing of daily newspapers to subscribers unless such papers are paid for in advance. Evening News patrons belong to that patriotic class which is ready to comply with every request made by Uncle Sam.

### DANIEL WELLS PRATT

A newcomer has just been welcomed into the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Pratt of 127 South Brand boulevard. This visitor, who has come to stay, is Daniel Wells Pratt, born Sunday morning, September 15th, 1918. He has two brothers and one sister.

### GERMANS BEING FORCED BACK ON METZ

ARE MOBILIZING FIVE THOUSAND WOMEN AND CALLING BOYS OF FIFTEEN YEARS

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)  
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE METZ FRONT.—The gradual advance of the Americans is forcing the Germans back onto Metz.

Aerial activity today decreased considerably on account of unfavorable weather.

The Germans are continuing to dig in along the Hindenburg line. It has been definitely established that the Germans have disbanded 108 regiments to fill losses caused by this year's fighting.

Five thousand women are being mobilized for auxiliary service and boys of fifteen are being called for certain kinds of work.

### TWENTY-EIGHT KILLED

THREE HUNDRED FORTY-THREE NAMES IN THE CASUALTY LIST REPORTED BY THE WAR DEPARTMENT TODAY

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)  
Washington, September 17.—Today's casualty list contains the names of twenty-eight killed in action.

Missing in action—166.  
Wounded severely—109.  
Died of wounds—9.  
Died of disease—6.  
Died of accident and other causes—1.  
Wounded, degree undetermined—17.  
Wounded slightly—3.  
Prisoners—4.

Californians in the list are:  
Missing in action—Thomas G. Harvil, Fairplay; Frederick A. Kreth, Michigan Bar; Ralph C. Black, San Francisco; John Gianettoni, San Luis Obispo; John M. Miller, Academy; Charles D. Rea, San Juan Capistrano; Leo Smith, San Mateo.

Wounded severely—Fred Anderson, San Francisco; Lawrence McKinnon, 452 Wetmore St., Los Angeles; Antonio Vargas, Sacramento; Clement Tarditi, San Francisco.

### GREEK TROOPS ADVANCE

CAPTURE SEVERAL VILLAGES WITH LOSS OF BUT TWO OFFICERS AND TEN MEN

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)  
ATHENS, September 17.—Dispatches from Salonika today reported that the Greek troops had advanced two to three miles on a ten-mile front near Zardar, capturing several villages and inflicting heavy losses on the Bulgarians. The Greeks lost only two officers and ten men.

### AMERICAN FORCES GOING AHEAD

ARMY UNDER GENERAL PERSHING IS WITHIN MILE AND A HALF OF GERMAN FRONTIER

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)  
PARIS, September 17.—The newspapers here announced today that the American forces had reached Cambieres, within a mile and a half of the German frontier.

### LINE AROUND ST. QUENTIN TIGHTENED

POSITIONS NORTH OF LENS ON THE FLANDERS FRONT HAVE BEEN IMPROVED

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)  
LONDON, September 17.—Field Marshal Haig's reports today showed the British had drawn their lines a little tighter northwest of St. Quentin.

British positions north of Lens in Flanders were improved.

### NEWSPAPER MAN MURDERS WIFE

CHARLES E. CHAPIN, CITY EDITOR OF NEW YORK WORLD, SURRENDERS TO THE POLICE

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)  
NEW YORK, September 17.—Charles E. Chapin, city editor of the New York World, appeared at the police station at daylight today and confessed that he had killed his wife, who was found dead, late yesterday, in her apartment. He said he did not recall any of the details of the killing and said it was "for no reason at all." Chapin said he had wandered around New York until he saw the morning papers announcing that the police were seeking him.

### KAISER REPORTED AS DESPONDENT

HE IS SAID TO BE ON THE VERGE OF A NERVOUS BREAK-DOWN

AMSTERDAM, September 17.—Persistent reports are in circulation here that the Kaiser has become very despondent and is on the verge of a nervous break-down.

### REGISTRATION DATA

MAJORITY OF REGISTRANTS 33 TO 43 YEARS OF AGE

The local Exemption Board announces a total registration when all cards are checked up of 3416 men in this district (County No. 7). Of this number, 3251 are white men. The largest number of registrants are between the ages of 33 and 43, the list running as follows:

18 years.....	166
19 Years.....	124
20 years.....	114
21 years.....	24
22 years.....	8
23 years.....	6
24 years.....	6
25 years.....	5
26 years.....	4
27 years.....	8
30 years.....	7
31 years.....	5
32 years.....	156
33 years.....	258
34 years.....	257
35 years.....	203
36 years.....	265
37 years.....	215
38 years.....	249
39 years.....	243
40 years.....	221
41 years.....	212
42 years.....	214
43 years.....	183
44 years.....	192
45 years.....	138

### THE SYCAMORE CANYON IMPROVEMENT

Members of the Board of City Trustees look for quite a "turn-out" next Thursday night, the time for the hearing of protests against the opening and widening of Sycamore Canyon road. This is probably the most ambitious improvement project ever undertaken by the City and the preliminary proceedings have cost quite a little. It affects the territory east of Glendale avenue. The preliminary proceedings have cost considerable and for that reason members do not like to entertain any suggestion to abandon the matter now and perhaps a few years later spend a like amount over again to reopen the project. There does not seem to be any serious objection to the apportionment of the cost in assessments, but merely a conviction on the part of taxpayers that now is not the time to push such improvements or to market bonds. There is no desire on the part of Board members to crowd the matter. If it develops that the wish of the majority is to hold back on the improvement for a while until the conditions which have been brought about by the war have changed, the Board will cheerfully acquiesce provided it can still retain jurisdiction under such a postponement. Such, at least, is the opinion expressed by one of the members of the Board who is well acquainted with the situation.

### JAYHAWKERS' PICNIC

Just listen to the call for all who ever lived in the State of Kansas, to meet for an all-day picnic reunion in Sycamore Grove, Los Angeles, Saturday, September 28th, 1918. Come as early as you can and spend the day with friends from all over the Southland. The county registers will be open all day so you can find your old home neighbors.

There will be a brief program with music and greetings from Sunflower State speakers, but the main object will be to have a good time. We will have popular patriotic songs and Old Glory will wave in the breezes.

We want to see all from the old home state who are in California. Special need and reason for large attendance. Bring your lunch baskets well filled. Coffee will be served free to all who buy the new badges.

### HIGH WATER AT BALBOA

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Ayars and their children, of 1314 Chestnut street, have just returned from a two weeks' outing at Balboa, where they enjoyed a quiet though delightful fortnight of fishing and boating and where they had the unique experience of witnessing a storm upon the deep which was not manifested in other elements. It was what the fishermen called a ground swell, which sent the waves riding along the shore at great heights and breaking over the peninsula, which was flooded, the water completely surrounding the house occupied by the Ayars, and also flooding the main business thoroughfare of Balboa and washing tent cottages from their moorings, and doing minor damage of one sort and another. There was no wind, Mrs. Ayars says, and the "breaking waves" were only to be accounted for by some volcanic disturbance which may have originated far from this coast. The Ayars were not alarmed and enjoyed the adventure.

### THE DUTY OF THE HOUR

MAYOR G. B. WOODBERRY VOICES POPULAR SENTIMENT REGARDING PEACE PROPOSALS

How short the time since America, home of the free, was at peace with all the world; within her borders might be found intelligence, industry and thrift creating conditions ever more favorable in the present, more promising for the future. And while the larger part of the civilized peoples of the globe dwelt also in peace and under the fancied security engendered by a widespread belief that nations would no more resort to the arbitrament of the sword, there happened the unexpected; a vaulting ambition than which a Caesar, an Alexander or a Napoleon never surpassed combined with an inconceivable fiendishness and ferocity possessed the self-styled "supreme war lord" of the German Empire and caused him to betray the nations into such a paroxysm of sorrow, suffering, destruction and bloody war as this weary world has never yet recorded on the page of history.

Yesterday the people of America followed contentedly the paths of peace, and thought not of war; today they think of little else and our young men in martial array, firm in the faith of the righteousness of their cause, are being weighed in the balance and are not found wanting.

And now, after four years of the most determined and bitter endeavor on the part of the Imperial German Government, whose head is now known as the "Beast of Berlin," assisted by every damnable form of cruelty and "frightfulness" of which the Hun mind is capable to conceive, there comes the time when this Beast rudely is awakened to the knowledge that his forty-years-in-making war machine is not invulnerable, that treaties are not mere scraps of paper, that the firm of "Me und Gott" may have never existed and, worst of all, that America not only will fight but wills to fight and wills to become under God the instrument of His avenging retribution on the war dogs of Germany.

And the supreme war lord who with his six war lordlings was to rule the world, with his heel on the neck of the nations, now in a "peace" address to the Krupp munition workers at Essen gives further evidence of an origin from common clay and a yellow clay at that. In a vain effort to bolster up his losing cause and to evade responsibility for the ruin he has wrought, he gives utterance to a tissue of falsehoods imputing to the Allies those very motives by which he himself has been actuated and seeking to make it appear that in his heart alone is the real desire for peace, and as he talks he inadvertently admits some solemn truths.

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### ENROLLMENT AT GLENDALE UNION HIGH

Now that Union High School has opened and pupils enrolled, statistics in great variety have been compiled and are still in process of compilation while pupils and teachers wrestle with programs in the effort to adjust classes to the convenience and needs of students. The machine is not in perfect working order yet but it soon will be.

Meanwhile the aforementioned statistics show that this year's enrollment is 631 against an enrollment last year at this time of 534.

This is a surprise, in view of the fact that so many men have taken up work at the shipyards at San Pedro, but those who know explain that the majority have left their families here so the schools have not suffered the falling off in attendance that was expected. The lack of housing facilities at Long Beach and San Pedro has been the cause of keeping many families here. Also, there has been quite an influx of newcomers from Los Angeles and some from the East.

### CLAUDE B. ROBINSON'S FUNERAL

On Monday, September 16, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Little church of the Flowers in Forest Lawn Memorial Park, very impressive funeral services were conducted over the body of Claude B. Robinson, whose death occurred on the previous Thursday. The services were held under the direction of the Glendale Elks, of which order the deceased was a member.

Mr. Robinson was a man of sterling qualities and although in poor health he was very aggressive in business affairs. His genial smile will be missed in the business circle in which he so faithfully performed his daily work.

WEATHER FORECAST—Cloudy or foggy tonight and in the early morning near the coast. Gentle westerly winds.



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## CHANGES IN NAMES OF STREETS

Authorized by Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale  
by ordinance passed July 5, 1918:

Third Street to Wilson Avenue.  
Second Street to California Avenue.  
First Street to Lexington Drive.  
Fifth Street to Harvard Street.  
Elrose Avenue and Seventh Street to Elk Avenue.  
Ninth Street and Oak Drive to Windsor Road.  
Tenth Street to Garfield Avenue.  
Sycamore Avenue to Doran Street.  
Valley Boulevard to Adams Street.  
Tropico Avenue to Los Feliz Road.  
Damasco Court and Blanche Avenue to Maryland Avenue.  
Lot A. of Witham Tract to be named Chestnut Street, being a continuation of said street.

## GOURKO RETURNS FROM LONG EXILE.

By Joseph Shaplen, United Press Staff Correspondent.

New York, September 17.—The reported arrival of Gen. Gourko, formerly commander of the Russian armies on the eastern front, at Murman, brings to mind his conflict with Kerensky, which resulted in his exile from Russia. Gen. Gourko, it is announced, has arrived at Murman from the western front, and will take command of the allied operations against the Finno-Germans and Bolsheviks in that region.

The revolution found Gourko in command of one of the northern armies. The famous order Number I, proclaimed by the revolution to the army, which abolished virtually all rank distinctions, created a most unwelcome impression on Gourko. Gourko's opinion was shared by many Russian generals, among them General Alexieff, Korniloff and others. The question was so important that it was decided to call a meeting of all big Russian generals at the Marinsky palace in Petrograd to discuss it and if possible, to prevail upon Kerensky and the Council of Workmen and Soldiers to countermand the order. Among those present were Gourko, Alexieff, Brussiloff, Dragomiroff and others.

At the meeting Gourko fought bitterly against the order. "This order means the end of the Russian army," he warned.

Gourko's attitude caused a breach between him and Kerensky, although the two men up to that time were on good terms. Gourko soon resigned. Kerensky, however, refused to retire him and appointed him as special adjutant at the ministry of war. From that moment the conflict between Gourko and Kerensky grew sharp. Gourko's health, however, began to fail and he decided to go to the Caucasus for a rest.

In July, 1917, an important meeting of the general staff took place. Kerensky requested General Brussiloff to take the chief command and asked him to choose his own aids. Brussiloff named, among others, Gourko. Kerensky grew pale with rage and shouted: "Either he or I."

On receiving Brussiloff's invitation and on hearing of Kerensky's attitude, Gourko decided to go to Petrograd for an explanation with Kerensky. While stopping at the home of a friend one evening, the house was surrounded by soldiery and Gourko was placed under arrest. The order was issued by Kerensky himself, who charged that a letter of Gourko's to the former czar had been intercepted by the government. The letter, it was charged, pledged Gourko's loyalty to the czar and the Romanoffs and vowed opposition to the revolution. Gourko was taken to the fortress of St. Peter and Paul. Soon after Kerensky ordered Savinkoff, the assistant secretary of war, to exile Gourko from Russia. Kerensky was so insistent upon Gourko's leaving Russia that Gourko decided to go. He requested the aid of Sir George Buchanan, British ambassador, who put a British guard at the general's disposal. The guard accompanied the general to Murman, where he boarded a ship for England.

In England he was received by King George and given a command on the western front, where he remained until recently.

With the organization of the anti-Bolshevik government in the north he hastened back to Russia.

His services unquestionably will be needed and welcome. Only on one condition: He must never again write letters of loyalty to the Romanoffs.

## MISS MARIE DRESSLER'S BOND CAMPAIGN.

The Women's Campaign Committee of the State of California announce that Miss Marie Dressler, the Motion Picture Star, will campaign under their direction for Uncle Sam and his Fourth Liberty Loan Bonds for the next five weeks.

Miss Dressler plans to devote every minute of her time to government work and for the first two weeks will appear at the army theatres at the cantonments. Beginning at Seattle, the first week of the Fourth Liberty Loan drive, Miss Dressler's bond selling itinerary on the Pacific coast includes Tacoma, Portland, Spokane, San Francisco, Oakland, Los Angeles, San Diego and other cities of Southern California.

The Women's Campaign Committee of Southern California will inaugurate a flying squadron to accompany Miss Dressler in her tour and hope to visit every city and community to assist the local Women's Committee in their Liberty Loan work.

## NOT WISHING THE YANK ANY HARD LUCK.

(By United Press.)

London, August 19.—(By Mail.)—A wounded doughboy in a certain English hospital finds visitors somewhat trying. Nevertheless, his cloud has at least one silver lining.

He waxes quite eloquent over Ermytrude, the small hospital pantrymaid. Her place really is in the pantry, and her black cat, Sir

Julian Byng, are not supposed to be visiting the wards, yet they both manage to evade the law regularly every day.

Ermytrude is adored of all the men. With her green eyes, tilted nose, and golden brown hair more often tousled than tidy, she keeps them all merry with her unconscious humor.

The American presented her with a fragment of shrapnel the other day. "Taken out of my side, that was," he explained impressively. "Out of my side—think of that, Ermytrude."

Ermytrude regarded it stolidly.

"I wish," she said thoughtfully, "it had been a German helmet!"

## NO BONES WERE BROKEN.

(By United Press.)

London, August 2. (By Mail.)—An English naval officer and an American army captain, stopping at the same hotel, have become very friendly.

The naval officer has seen long service and has two brothers in the navy, so naturally his only sister kept up the tradition of the family by joining the Wrens.

Very proud of her new uniform, she asked her brother to meet her one Sunday for a walk in the park after church, and certainly she looked scarcely less important than did he with his four rows of "distinction lace" on his cuffs and two rows of medal ribbon across his chest.

But when the naval officer got back to his hotel he was met in the lounge by the American captain, who gave him a dig in the ribs, and said: "Say, Jack, that was a stunning little bus conductress I saw you with in the park this morning!"

## DISTANCE IN THE UNIVERSE.

We are often asked which is the farthest star from us. This is a big question. For one thing, it implies that there is a farthest star. Is there a farthest star? The current opinion of astronomers is that the aggregate of stars which we call our universe is not limitless and that it comes to an end if we proceed far enough; but this does not mean that there are not other universes, and as a matter of fact we believe there are. To say which star is farthest would mean that we had determined the distance of each of the stars, of which there are found to be 55 million as bright as the seventeenth magnitude, with the certainty that there is a much larger number of still fainter ones. As a matter of fact, the distances of but a few stars, say 200, have been determined, and many of these values are unreliable. The distances are too great for measurement.—Samuel Barton, of the University of Pennsylvania.

## BIG WAR PROGRAM OF THE UNITED STATES

SEVEN BILLIONS, THREE MILLIONS NEEDED TO CARRY OUT ENLARGED ARMY PROGRAM

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

WASHINGTON, September 17.—The War Department today submitted to Congress an estimate of \$7,347,227,000 as the amount necessary to carry out the enlarged army program under the new draft law.

## BULGARIAN FRONT PIERCED FIVE MILES

SERBIANS HAVE TAKEN THREE THOUSAND PRISONERS AND TWENTY-FOUR GUNS

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

LONDON, September 17.—It has been definitely announced that the Serbian offensive is continuing with complete success.

The Bulgarian front has been pierced over five miles on a twelve-mile front, the Serbians taking 3000 prisoners and twenty-four guns. The Allied casualties were light. The Serbians took the village of Grabresnitza and several other important positions on that front.

## FIGHT BETWEEN AMERICAN MARINES AND DOMINICANS

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

WASHINGTON, September 17.—The Marine Corps announced today that a fight between American Marines and Dominican bandits occurred September 8th and 9th. There were no marine casualties.

## SPEED OF BIRDS

A writer in a recent issue of Our Dumb Animals says:

Birds differ greatly in method and rate of flight. Contrast a bat and an eagle; the former can not rise from a perfectly level surface, the latter can "push off" from any place, at any angle, with astounding celerity, and rise six thousand feet. A few other birds, notably the lark and the crow, travel at an altitude of five or six thousand feet, but ordinarily birds stay within one thousand feet of the earth. It is characteristic of the birds of prey to soar in wide circles, but when aiming at a certain point the eagle uses the steady wing beat method.

For combination of speed and grace, swallows are hard to surpass. I read of one's flight from Antwerp to Compiegne. The distance of 140 miles was accomplished in sixty-eight minutes.

Vultures can fly 150 miles an hour. Perhaps nature gave them great power of flight as a compensation for two great handicaps—weakness of talons and a poor sense of smell. They have to rely entirely on sight, and are unable to carry off their prey. The condor, the South American vulture, is kept in the nest longer than any other bird I know of; it does not fly till about a year old. But when grown it makes up for lost time; its 9-foot wing expanse gives it great power and speed.

The hawk is a king of flight. With the power to fly two hundred miles an hour, the sight to spy an object at twenty times the distance possible for the strongest human eyes, the muscu-

lar power to lift and carry off a large rabbit, and the courage to execute his designs, a hawk is a formidable yet an admirable bird.

## NOW IS THE TIME TO ACT

We have in the State of California at the present time a department that has delegated to it power equal to that of the Kaiser in his Empire. The November election time is near at hand and it should be the occasion of bringing about a change. An autocratic Railroad Commission should be replaced by a democratic commission.

## OLD SETTLER'S PICNIC

The annual picnic under the auspices of the Old Settler's Association, of which J. C. Sherer is president, takes place next Saturday, the 21st, at Echo Park. This event is always an enjoyable affair and it is desired that residents of the valley, whether old settlers or new ones, attend and share in the good comradeship of the occasion. Echo Park is selected as the place of meeting on account of its being on the Glendale-Los Angeles car line and therefore convenient for all. Everybody is invited to be at the park about noon and bring luncheon; coffee furnished free.

Advertise it, or advertise for it in the Evening News.

There is now material on hand at the surgical dressings department of the Glendale Chapter of the American Red Cross. All help will get a welcome reception.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A sectional leather davenport, \$15. 207 Oak Drive. Phone 921-J. 11tf

REMOVAL SALE—Hundreds of small plants in variety at 5, 10 and 15 cents each; also great reductions in trees, palms and shrubs. F. McG. Kelley, Florist, 422 S. Brand Blvd. 11tf

FOR SALE—Furniture of six-room bungalow, including Circassian walnut bed room suite, rugs, dining table and chairs, library table, leather rocking chairs, writing desk, etc. Telephone Glendale 500. 12t2\*

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Young healthy does, some bred, for pullets. 618 S. Adams. Tel. Gl. 521-W. 13t1

FOR SALE—Miami motorcycle in good condition, \$25. Hughes, corner Wilson Ave. (3rd) and Jackson St. Phone 990. 12t2\*

FOR SALE—Gas range. Call after 10 o'clock Monday at 145 S. Central Ave. 5tf

FOR SALE—Big hayrack load of wood, delivered \$5. Tel. Gl. 408 or 884. Apply 431 Brand. 6tf

FOR SALE—Tomatoes fresh from my own vines, any quantity. Siple's Grocery, 1501 Sycamore avenue. Glendale 782. 3tf

FOR SALE, PEACHES—Fresh from the orchard, 50c a box and up. Phone Blue 72. 11tf

### FOR RENT

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## Personals

Dr. and Mrs. Marlenee of Central avenue have returned from a week-end trip to Santa Barbara, where they spent Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. S. J. Mosher was called to Pomona Monday to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. J. D. Rich, who passed away Sunday evening at her home in Hinkley, California.

David L. Gregg, 206 South Central avenue, arrived home from Salt Lake City Sunday night. Business prompted the trip. The length of Mr. Gregg's stay is somewhat indefinite.

Mrs. Hartley Shaw, Chairman of Salvage, Tropic District Red Cross, reports that the credit for the month of August from this department amounted to \$185. She is wonderfully pleased at this showing.

Mrs. E. M. Crandall and son Eugene Junior returned to Glendale on Monday night after spending the summer visiting Mrs. Crandall's father and friends at the Thousand Islands and Adirondacks of New York State.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Isitt, 872 Damasco court, were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Crampton, 1011 Chestnut street, and later the party motored to Long Beach, where they visited Mrs. J. W. Meyers. Mrs. Meyers is a sister of Mrs. Crampton and Mr. Isitt.

Mrs. A. W. Teel of 308 North Maryland spent Saturday and Sunday in San Diego with Captain Teel, who is an army physician at the Base Hospital there. She says he likes his work and is getting along nicely with it and though he expects to be sent overseas, has no idea when the call will come.

Harry Rogers, brother of Mrs. Frank Arnold, is leaving this week for Parker, Arizona, where he will be associated with a Mr. Russell in producing cotton on a large ranch. It will be quite a change for Mr. Rogers, but as he is anxious to build himself up physically, the out-door life will give him a fine chance.

The fall opening of Mrs. Grace Yarbrough at her attractive millinery store at 405 Brand boulevard, will be in the nature of a reception to old friends and patrons, who are invited to call and see the new things in head wear. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, September 19, 20 and 21st, will be the reception days and everybody will be welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moore of Long Beach were the guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Goss, 714 West Fifth street. Mr. and Mrs. Moore formerly lived in Glendale, corner of Fifth and Everett streets, removing to Long Beach about a year ago. Mr. Moore expects to leave for the front to engage in Y. M. C. A. work about the middle of October.

Captain Montague Cleaves of 220 Boynton street is still at Fort Riley, where he has charge of an ambulance corps. He likes his work very much but is disgusted with the climate. When he got there it was very hot but of late it has been cool and wet and he has been decidedly uncomfortable because he did not take heavy enough clothing with him.

Dorothy Armstrong of 315 Blanche avenue (Maryland) has been enjoying a delightful outing as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sumner B. Wright of Colton, who have spent about five weeks touring the northern part of the state, taking in the Yosemite Valley and the Sequoia National Park, also visiting San Francisco. Miss Armstrong is now visiting friends in San Jose.

Carnation Rebekah Lodge No. 257 will celebrate the 61st anniversary of the organization of that order, at Odd Fellows Hall, corner of Third and Isabella streets, Tuesday evening. After a short business session the doors will be thrown open to the public. A short program and a general good time is promised. The admission will be a Thrift Stamp, to be used for the benefit of the Odd Fellows orphan home, which they maintain at Gilroy, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hester and family, who have been spending the past two months at Hermosa, have returned to their home at 1023 Maple avenue. The proximity of Hermosa Beach to San Pedro made it possible for Frank Hester, Jr., who enlisted about July 1 in the Signal Corps of the Naval Reserve and is stationed at San Pedro, to make numerous visits with the home people. Frank has the distinction of being the tallest man in the service at San Pedro, standing six feet six.

John Nay of Champaign, Illinois, is visiting his brother, F. D. Nay, 125 South Louise street. Saturday evening Mrs. Nay entertained in honor of their guest a few of the young people. The evening was spent most pleasantly with games and music and as a number of the guests are decidedly musical, a delightful program was given. The guests invited to meet Mr. Nay were Miss Margaret Lusby, Miss Waunita Emery, Miss Martha Ray, Miss Myrtle Venske, Messrs. Harold Venske, Gilbert Emery and William Strong.

## REAL SPANISH DANCING

One of the great attractions at the Saturday evening program of the Harvest Festival, the big Red Cross benefit which is being prepared by the Tuesday Afternoon Club, will be the Spanish dancing by Senorita Elenita Sepulveda, who will sing a medley of popular and patriotic songs accompanied by the Vivienne Stafford orchestra. This will be in addition to her special song and garden dance.



Senorita Elenita Sepulveda, a descendant of the brave Spanish Dons who entered California with Junipero Serra on his mission of mercy in 1769, will appear in the big Red Cross benefit Friday as well as Saturday evening. The little Senorita is an accomplished singer and clever dancer, and is gracing many a benefit program with her charming presence and entertaining ability.

## BIBLE CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Sunday morning, September 22, at 11 o'clock, Dr. Elwood P. Lyon of Pasadena will speak on "Redemption. Opening of the Seven Sealed Book of Revelation, Fifth Chapter." Afternoon at 3:30, Dr. Gabelein of New York City will give his initial address. Subject, "The Jewish Question." 7:45, Dr. Lyon will again speak. Subject, "Christ the Center."

Monday, September 23, Dr. Gabelein will speak both afternoon and evening. 3:30 subject, "How to Read and Study the Book of Revelation." Address No. 1. 7:45 "The Work of Christ, His Incarnation and Sacrificial Death."

Tuesday, Sept. 24, 3:30 p. m. "How to Read and Study the Book of Revelation." Address No. 2. 7:45, "The Work of Christ, His Work on the Throne in Glory." Both addresses by Dr. Gabelein. Wednesday, September 25, Dr. Gabelein will give the two closing addresses of the conference. "The Priesthood of Believers" at 3:30, and "The Work of Christ, His Future Work," at 7:45.

This being an interdenominational conference, the general public, without regard to church affiliation, most cordially invited. The conference session will be held at the Glendale Presbyterian church, corner of Broadway and Cedar street.

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

Office of the Glendale Masonic Building Association, the Temple, 532 S. Brand Blvd., Glendale, Cal.

To the Stockholders of the Glendale Masonic Building Association:

Please take notice that the regular annual meeting of stockholders and election of directors of the Glendale Masonic Building Association will be held at the Temple, 532 South Brand boulevard, Glendale, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on Tuesday, the 1st day of October, 1918, at 6:30 p. m., for the purpose of electing directors of said corporation for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

ERNEST J. MORGAN, Secretary.

## THE HOME NEWS BEST

Lord Northcliffe, publisher of the London Times, the London Daily Mail and scores of other papers and magazines, says that it is not the big dailies that the boys in uniform want. What they want, he declares, is the home paper, the local, "which tells who was at the church social, who has been married, and which team won the game." Send the home paper to the boy at the front. All news is new until it is read. What matter if the paper is stale when it reaches him; it will do him just as much good.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

Patrons of Mrs. Anna L. Smith will be glad to know that she is still at her store at 433 Brand boulevard, where she has on display as usual at this season, a very nice line of fall hats, and where she will be glad to have her old friends and customers call and inspect the new styles, whether they buy or not. Prices are reasonable, and her formal opening will take place Friday and Saturday, September 20th and 21st. 131t

## COUNTRY STORE

Do not overlook the Country Store at the Harvest Festival. Pumpkin Center General Merchandise Store, Ebenezer Courtassel, Proprietor.

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## RED CROSS EVENTS

Sept. 20 and 21—Community Harvest Festival.

Persons planning Red Cross entertainments are requested to have dates reserved by telephoning Mrs. Mabel Franklin Ocker, chairman of Bureau of Entertainments, Glendale 918-J.

## THE DUTY OF THE HOUR

(Continued from Page 1)

Take this statement: "Every one of you in the remotest corner of the Fatherland knows I left no stone unturned to shorten the war as far as possible for you and your people and for the entire civilized world." Who will gainsay it? Did he not violate his sworn word and stab France in the back after laying waste a neutral nation? He expected thus to shorten the war. Did he not say to his savage soldiers: "All that you may do to conquer your enemies and lay waste their possessions is right and I your Kaiser will stand for you in the judgment"? Ach! himmel, we will impale the little children on our bayonets, and shorten the war, and they did it. We will murder the old and infirm, crucify and inflict nameless atrocities on the captured prisoners that our enemies may be overcome by our frightfulness and the war shortened. We will mutilate the older children that their fathers' sons and daughters may be the last of their line, and the doom of their women shall be to provide shameful addition to the strength of our future arms. This gruesome list of the horrors whereby the German Emperor sought to shorten the war causes the normal person to recoil with loathing and pain would its memory be forgotten, but that justice demands that such deeds go not unpunished and unavenged. And now that America is pouring out her treasure and giving to the full of her strength and manhood in the great cause of human welfare there is danger that our instinctive desire as a nation to be humane and merciful may lead to a premature and false peace which shall but lead to future woes and bloodshed beyond comprehension.

When an honorable adversary, one whose word may be trusted, seeks peace, his antagonist should meet him fair; but what free-born American statesman could sit at conference with the "Beast of Berlin" and retain his self respect? And of what value would be a peace pact from such a ruler? Give him peace? He must have peace that a new litter of German war dogs may be bred to repeat the effort to conquer the earth. Scott says: "Who little reckes how, when or where the prowling fox is trapped or slain?" So with the wolf, the hyena and the jackal, the rattlesnake and the viper; there can be no safe compromise, no element of safety in a truce with them and in the light of the experience of the last four years, to class the hun in the same catalog is but the logical result of his own acts.

The horizon above the war clouds is now bright with promise of ultimate victory over the forces of the Prince of Evil and his allies the huns, and it is the duty of every one who has the desire to make this earth the permanent abiding place of right and justice to insist without faltering on a strict compliance with the wise judgment of our President that there shall be no peace based on agreement with the present German rulers. In no other course is there safety and real peace. America wants peace above all things; she is fighting valiantly for peace, a peace based on right, and she will have such peace by means of the only possible argument that appeals to her enemies—"force—force to the uttermost." Our peace must not bear the German trade-mark. Every American should steel his heart by remembering the dastard acts of the Kaiser and his minions and remember that mercy to so foul a crew will be an insult to justice. They have sown the whirlwind; let them reap the cyclone.

G. B. WOODBERRY.

## TOO MUCH THRIFT

One of Secretary McAdoo's clerks showed his boss a clipping from the home town paper the other day which read as follows:

"Eric Fangstrom, south of town, has a Scotch poodle dog, from which he clipped enough wool last year to make himself two pairs of socks, which he wore all last winter. His mother did the spinning and knitting."

The Secretary read it carefully and remarked: "Very clever, but I'm inclined to think it's going a little too far."

"There are many woolly dogs, of course. A neighbor of mine has one which always looks to me like an artificial dog made of wool, and coming loose in places. But it would take me some time to get used to wearing socks-taken from the back of my dog. No doubt it is a foolish sentiment but I should feel ashamed every time I looked the dog in the face."

## IMPOSITION VERSUS INQUISITION

I understand the Pacific Electric Co. intends, commencing tomorrow, charging 10 cents carfare from Tropic to Broadway. This in my estimation is unjust and will inflict a great hardship on people attending divine service on Sundays and also add an increased expense on shoppers and picture show patrons to and from Broadway. Splendid chance now for a 5-cent jitney service at stated times.

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## HOOVER COMMENDS TEACHERS

Food production and food conservation have been stimulated greatly through the activities of the schools. In recognition of this service, Herbert Hoover, United States Food Administrator, sends his personal message to the teachers of America:

To the Teachers of America:

For more than a year the Food Administration has been increasingly indebted to the schools of America. Teachers, pupils, and administrative officers have been most cordial in their support of all that has been undertaken to provide food for those who have a right to expect it of us. I welcome this means of giving credit to those who so deserve it, and of expressing my personal gratitude to them.

No one will see more clearly than you the difficulties that surround the food problem, and none will appreciate more fully the necessity of exact information, most widely disseminated, as a basis for effective popular support. And this popular support is absolutely indispensable.

This is the people's war. They must participate in it in every way that can be devised. Their willingness to do this has been abundantly proven. Hence they also have a right to the truth in order that they may do what they can and do it because they understand.

There may be those who have doubts as to what their duty in this crisis is, but the teachers can not be of them. They are the appointed leaders of the Nation's great reserve; if this force fails, the hope for a victorious peace will be in vain. Let them be thankful that they find themselves in a place so honorable and so commanding.

The policy of the Food Administration is built upon the widest publicity of facts, and full confidence in the determination of the people voluntarily to do whatever is manifestly necessary. The educational forces of the

country will aid incalculably in translating this policy into history.  
HERBERT HOOVER.  
Washington, Sept. 1, 1918.

## RAZOR GRINDING AND SHARPENING

I will open up a razor grinding and sharpening shop at 1211 W. Broadway, first building west of Spohr's Drug Store, Monday, September 16. Keep your business at home. Satisfaction guaranteed. F. H. Walker. 8t12

## RELIGION UNDER SHELL FIRE

There is no greater heroism than the heroism of mercy. There is no truer bravery than the bravery of tenderness. Out of the crash of nation against nation arises a Christ-like sympathy, and the insignia of its tenderness is the cross of red. It is the only remaining glow of a Christian hope. It is religion under shell fire. It is a sign set to the music of sympathetic action.—Opie Read.

Indictments have been returned against three members of the Kern county highway commission which had charge of the building of the good roads system of the county under the \$2,500,000 bond issue. Warrants have been served on J. L. Evans, former city engineer of Bakersfield, and a member of the commission, and C. E. Getchel. Each gave \$3000 bond for appearance in court. It is charged in the indictments "that there were misstatements regarding reports of moneys to the board of supervisors; that money was paid out without authority of law; that money was paid on claims not due; that some accounts were overpaid; and that some material was delivered to others than those entitled to receive it." The last charge is alleged to refer to the diversion of rock from the county quarry.

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## NATIVE AFRICANS AND THE WAR.

One phase of the war about which comparatively little is heard, but the importance and possible effects of which it would be difficult to exaggerate, is the enormous assemblage of non-combatant labor from the semi-civilized peoples of the world to be found behind the lines on the western and other fronts. From time to time, special mention is made of what this people or that people have contributed in the way of fighting men and labor to the war, and most writers of war books have alluded to the "polyglot crowds behind the lines." It is to be suspected, however, that few people, even yet, have any just idea of the vast melting pot of races which is to be found behind the allied front, all the way from the North Sea to the Swiss frontier, to take only one instance. In this region are to be found, not in small units, but in hundreds and thousands, Chinese, Burmans, Indians, both those from India and those from Canada and the United States Fijians, Algerians, Moroccans, Senegalese, representatives of every race in South Africa, and so on through a long list.

South Africa's contribution is particularly interesting, because among the native races at present in France are to be found representatives of all those peoples who, at one time or other, during the last thirty or forty years, have been in arms against the British rule in South Africa. Zulus, Basutos, Matabeles, and so on, are all recorded in the history of South Africa as one-time opponents of Great Britain, and now, today, they are giving of their best to help the British and the allied cause. They are to be seen, as Sir Herbert Sloley, a former resident commissioner in Basutoland, has said, felling trees, and handling timber in the forests of the Seine very much as they chop, lop, and strip the wattle plantations in Natal. They shift cargoes in French ports and railway stations, in the style they have learned in Cape Town and Durban, whilst their familiarity with railway construction and the blasting processes of the Johannesburg and Kimberley mines makes them valuable as quarrymen and railway workers.

The whole idea represents a remarkable development, but perhaps the most interesting and important outcome of it all will be the effect that the return of these men will have upon their own people. It is true, as Sir Herbert Sloley has pointed out, that it is never possible to say exactly how a South African native will view a situation, or what will be the outstanding impression which he will take away from it; but that he will share in the vast pooling of thoughts and ideas, hopes and aspirations, which is taking place on all the battlefronts, can not be questioned. No one who has had any experience of what this means can have any doubt that the result will mean progress, whatever the exact form it may take.—C. S. Monitor.

## PRELIMINARY Y. M. C. A. WAR WORK

Preliminary plans for the part which the California Y. M. C. A. will take in the United War Fund drive for \$170,000,000 from November 11 to 18 will be outlined on September 21 and 22 in San Francisco and on September 23 in Los Angeles, according to announcement by the War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A. this week. Hundreds of Y. M. C. A. secretaries, workers and committee men from all parts of the state will attend the two conferences when every detail of the approaching campaign will be gone over. This city will be represented by several delegates, it is stated.

Fred B. Smith, one of the foremost Christian business men of the country, and Harry Holmes, fresh from the European battle front, will be the principal speakers in a team of five or six prominent Y. M. C. A. workers from the East. In many ways the conference is to be a rehearsal of school of instruction for those who will appear before the public in November in the United War Fund drive.

California's quota of the \$115,000,000 required for their war work by the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. will be \$3,162,500, which is 55 per cent of the Western department's quota. The consolidation at the request of President Wilson of the war funds of the Knights of Columbus, Jewish Welfare Society, War Camp Community Service, American Library Association and Salvation Army adds largely to the sum to be raised.

The work of the California Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. in the interests of the war fund is to be under the general chairmanship of George W. Marston, of San Diego. Campaign headquarters have been opened in San Francisco under the direction of Ernest L. Mogge, of the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A.

## FREE TOW CAR SERVICE FOR MEMBERS

The only organization of its kind to take such a step, the Automobile Club of Southern California now offers free night and day tow car service for its members who become wrecked on roads within the limits of Los Angeles County. The proposition will be tested out from the club's main office in Los Angeles. If it proves successful, a plan will be devised to place tow cars at San Diego and other convenient points to provide similar accommodation for the club's seventeen branches and 15,000 members. The use of the two cars now in service is, of course, open to members living outside of Los Angeles County who come to grief while within the prescribed limits.

Los Angeles County has been chosen for the inauguration of the scheme since a large percentage of all the automobiles in California are centered there. To request the tow car's assistance, members of the Auto Club must be in distress through other than mechanical trouble. If the lady of the family is curious for a close-up of the shiny new wrecking wagon at work it will not suffice for her to run out of gas, find that the rear light is not burning or forget to snap on the ignition switch. She must deliberately pick out a nice husky telephone pole or the rear of somebody else's limousine and proceed to demolish the family band-wagon in such a fashion that it will be incapable of wheezing homeward on its own wheels and under its own power. Also, if the club's tow car is already out on a case she must patiently await her turn.

The powerful, especially equipped machine will be used both for non-insured members of the club and those who have taken out policies at cost with the Inter-Insurance Exchange, as well as for bringing in the number of disabled stolen machines recovered by the Club's Theft Bureau. Non-members of the club who come "Up against it" on the road and wish to save the price of a tow bill, may summon the relief car upon promising to sign one of the membership application blanks which it carries.

## WHY THE WAR SHOULD BE STUDIED IN THE SCHOOLS

Many excellent reasons exist for asking teachers and pupils, heavily burdened though they be, to give some time each week to the formal study of the war. The best of these, perhaps, is that in some way it is sure to come in, and that the study of it should be organized in such a way as to make it educationally valuable, says National School Service.

## Importance of the War.

The war is the biggest and most important happening in history. It is the war of every boy and girl as well as of every adult in the United States, and its issues will affect the destinies even of the unborn. Scarcely a child can be found in the schools who does not have a member of his family or other relative bearing arms in the contest. In the food that we eat, the clothing we wear, the heating of our houses, the amusements we indulge in, and our traveling to and fro we feel its actual presence. The war is in the atmosphere which the child breathes, and it already plays a large part in his school life.

## War Study Stimulates Patriotism.

Just because of this fact, therefore, it is important that the war should receive systematic treatment in the schools. It is still desirable that we be able to give "a reason for the faith that is in us," and the child should have presented to him clearly but simply the causes and aims of the war. Such teaching will not merely stimulate the patriotism of the child and aid the various war services imposed upon the schools. It will react upon the homes, and powerfully promote a sound civilian morale. Our public schools are the most important agency we have in advancing the cause of democracy. They are also the institution in whose guidance our people instinctively have most implicit confidence.

There is a story told of a Chicago immigrant mother, suspicious and distrustful, who when asked to sign a food pledge card said: "I sign nodings, my man he say I sign nodings;" and slammed the door in the face of the distributor of the cards. But when her little daughter brought the same card from school and said, "But, Mamma, my teacher says it is right," the mother replied: "Vell, if your teacher say it is all right, then I sign."

## Regular Studies Enriched.

Through the interest aroused by the study of the war, many of the regular studies of the school course can be strengthened and enriched. In the case of history, civics, and geography this relationship is evident. The new duties the war imposes may be made to stimulate the teaching of language, arithmetic, domestic science, drawing, music and practically every other subject of the school curriculum.

## Emergency Course of Instruction.

The study of the war should form a part of the school course. Where the study should be placed and how it should be conducted, are told in a pamphlet prepared by the National Board of Historical Service and published by the Federal Bureau of Education under the title "Outline of an Emergency Course of Instruction on the War." Teachers' Leaflet No. 4. Five cents for the first copy, two cents for each additional copy. The authors, Doctors Coulomb, Gerson and McKinley, are practical school men, as well as historical scholars. In the introduction they suggest: "Definite periods on the school program should be allotted to this purpose—in grades three and four, two 20-minute periods a week; in grades five, six, seven and eight, two 30-minute periods a week." In an appendix suggestions are given as to how the time for such study can be found and also as to the methods of teaching the subject. The course of instructions as outlined for each grade group is definite and practicable. For example, in grades 3 and 4 are the following topics:

- (1) Stories of War Incidents.
- (2) Celebration of Special Holidays.
- (3) Handicaps of German Boys and Girls.
- (4) Why the United States Entered the War.
- (5) What our Government has Accomplished in the War.
- (6) Our Soldiers and Sailors.
- (7) How Children Can Help.

The last heading is one which appears in the outline for each group of grades.

## High School Study of the War.

To quote again from this leaflet, "Every high school student in America should, during the school year 1918-19, be given a consecutive history of the war, with its antecedents and ensuing problems." A concrete plan is presented—too long to give here—by which this also can be accomplished, with little disturbance to other studies and classes, through the co-operation of the high school teachers. The work as planned for the high schools is based upon the outline prepared by Dr. Samuel B. Harding and published by the Committee on Public Information, entitled "The Study of the Great War—A Topical Outline with Extensive Quotations and Reading References." Teachers may obtain copies of this pamphlet by writing to the Committee on Public Information, at 10 Jackson Place, Washington, D. C.

Advertise it, or advertise for it in the Evening News.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE WELFARE HOUSE

LONDON, England—On Aug. 1, as already announced in a cable dispatch, to The Christian Science Monitor, the Christian Science Welfare House, for the use of the allied forces, was opened at 112 Eaton Square, London S. W. 1. Week after week fresh contingents are being added to the vast American Army already transported across the Atlantic; consequently thousands of soldiers and sailors now find a temporary home in the little island from which their forefathers set sail in quest of liberty three centuries ago. The Welfare House is primarily intended for the convenience of those officers and men of the United States Army and Navy who are interested in Christian Science, but a welcome will also be extended to any sailor or soldier who desires to come.

The Christian Science Welfare House is situated in a convenient center, close to the American Embassy and the busy thoroughfare around Victoria Station. Various bus routes pass close by, and tube and underground railway are easily and quickly reached, but the creeper-clad house itself stands in a wide, sunny square, where spreading plane trees cast a cool shade in the long, hot summer days.

The house is designed to help and befriend in every way the men of the allied forces. It is actuated by the desire to do everything to make the men feel as much at home as possible. The reception rooms, it is hoped, will provide an accessible place where friends can meet, while for the convenience of the men an information bureau will be open from 10 a. m. till 6 p. m., and a register will be kept of the addresses of those who let rooms or take in boarders. The bureau will also be prepared to make arrangements for those officers or men on leave who wish to spend a quiet time in the country, while for those anxious to see something of the sights of London expeditions to interesting parts of the city, including picture galleries and museums, will be planned, and the bureau will always be ready with the names of hosts and hostesses willing to invite officers and men, singly or in small parties, to their houses, so that all who desire may share the social intercourse that can only be enjoyed in the midst of home life.

The Christian Science Welfare House, too, has reading and writing rooms, in the quiet of which the men can make themselves at home with their books and papers, or can sit and write their letters undisturbed. A certain number of bedrooms will also be available at the Welfare House, to provide sleeping accommodation, at a reasonable price, for men staying in London, and breakfast will be provided at a moderate charge.—The Christian Science Monitor.

## UNUSED PIPE VALUABLE

Cast iron pipe of large size has become so scarce on the Pacific Coast that the city of San Diego will realize a handsome profit on a quantity of unused 30-inch pipe which it will offer for sale. The pipe was purchased six years ago at \$27.50 per ton. An offer of \$68 a ton has been made for the pipe by the Western Sugar Company but the city council thinks more can be obtained by inviting bids. About \$3500 will be netted to the city by the sale of the pipe.

## HIGH COST OF GRANITE CUTS USE FOR BUILDING

The total value of granite sold for building stone in the United States in 1917, was \$2,881,128, a decrease of \$1,083,395, or 27 per cent, compared with 1916. The rough stone sold was valued at \$590,310, which was \$312,736, or 35 per cent., less than in 1916; the dressed or manufactured stone was valued at \$2,290,818, which was \$770,569, or 25 per cent, less than in 1916. Accurate figures showing quantities are not yet available, but owing to a general increase in price the decrease in percentage of output was considerably more than that in value.

## TO REMOVE OLD PLASTERING

An exchange declares that for the removal of old plastering scarcely any tool is more effective than a garden hoe. It will be necessary at first to prepare the way by exposing a small area. After that the blade of the hoe may be hooked under the loose plaster, which may be torn away in relatively large flakes. For scraping out the plaster that clings between the lath a mason's trowel is undoubtedly the most efficient tool one can use, though if the plaster sticks tenaciously the flat blade of the spade may be used to advantage.

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## AMERICAN COUNCIL ON EDUCATION

The American Council on Education representing twenty national educational associations of the country, is conducting a campaign to induce students to enter college and high school this fall. The War Department is calling for a large college enrollment in order that it may have as a military asset, an adequate supply of material for officers, technicians, and business administrators. The council is doing all it can to help secure this enrollment.

Two hundred French women will pursue their studies in American colleges on free scholarships arranged by the council. In addition, the council is arranging for the reception of the commission of English university professors which will visit the leading educational institutions of the country during the fall and winter.

## NURSES' HUT

In accordance with the approval of the Surgeon-General of the army, under date of March 22, 1918, and of the Secretary of War, under date of March 23, 1918, the Red Cross has undertaken to erect at each of the base and general army hospitals in this country a small building as a recreation room for the nurses. These buildings include one large assembly room and smaller rooms to be used as a library, a sewing room and laundry, a kitchen and a lavatory.

A building erected in accordance with this policy of the Red Cross has just been completed at the Base Hospital in Camp Kearny. The structure is finished on the interior in plaster board. The building is 88x32 feet in size; it has a large fireplace and will have attractive furnishings, supplied by the Red Cross. The interior is finished in plaster board, and presents a very comfortable and homelike appearance.

The cost of the building is in the neighborhood of \$5000. The American Library Association will provide books and magazines for the library room.

## CAMP KEARNY SYNAGOGUE

The Jewish Welfare Board tent has been removed on the strength of the plans of the new building. The religious services will be held for the present in the Church Federation Building every Friday evening at 7:30 p. m. at Camp Kearny.

The telegram sent to Washington, D. C., last week by Col. L. W. Oliver, Chief of Staff, in regard to the new Jewish Welfare Building, has been returned approved. Capt. Billings of the Construction Quartermaster received the orders.

The construction of the building will begin immediately. It is expected that the building will be completed by the first of October. The hut will be forty by seventy feet and will contain a large auditorium, porches, classrooms, smokers, etc. There will also be living quarters for its secretary.

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## NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

No. 39784

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles.

In the Matter of the Estate of Alice Dickey, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the petition of James Miller Forgy for the Probate of Will of Alice Dickey, Deceased, and for the issuance of Letters Testamentary thereon to James Miller Forgy, will be heard at 2 o'clock p. m., on the 30th day of September, 1918, at the Court Room of Department 2 of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles. Dated September 4, 1918.

H. J. LELANDE, Clerk.

By H. C. LICHTENBERGER, Deputy.

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